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The winter of 1779-80, known as "the hard winter," began the middle of November and continued until the middle of February, without a day being warm enough to melt the snow in the least, says the Harrodsburg Sayings. The coldest day was in January and was denominated "cold Friday." The warmest winter enjoyed by the people of Kentucky was that of 1825-'26. Snow was not seen, and Mother Earth was carpeted in green.

The winter of 1836 was remarkably mild, but not quite so balmy as the winter of ten years before. The third warmest winter on record was that of 1889-'90. Grass was green during the entire winter, and in February peach trees were in bloom and also many flowers in the yards. But on the first day of March a cold spell set in that lasted ten days, and ice two or three inches was formed.

A cheerful face is nearly as good for an invalid as healthy weather.

## KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Gleaned from all parts of the Commonwealth

Short, Readable Items of Interest to All.

Washington precinct in Mason county voted for local option by a majority of 116.

Versailles has let the contract for a new colored public school building to cost \$3,110.

The Dover Postmaster won't allow any cigarette smoking in the lobby of his office.

Squire Cotton of Ruthlon, Madison county, lost twenty cattle during the recent cold spell.

The city council of Lawrenceburg is making a strong effort to enforce the Sunday closing law.

Governor Bradley has fixed April 18 as the date for the execution of Bob Blanks at Mayfield.

Conrad Grosenrth was caught in the machinery at the cellulose factory at Owensboro and nearly killed.

In the little country cemetery at Lexington, Bracken county, there have been ninety-five burials in fifteen months.

William Fox, who recently killed Ada Marshall, at Covington, was last week sentenced to life imprisonment at Maysville.

Miss Kate Fox, daughter of Richard Fox, the noted horseman of Richmond, committed suicide last Friday by taking strychnine.

During the first fifteen days in February, there were 25 deaths from spotted fever in Henderson county. Every case proved fatal.

There was 2,100 gallons of soup dispensed with at the soup house at Lexington established to help the poor during the recent cold spell.

Fifty-two thousand dollars of 4 per cent, Lincoln County turnpike bonds have been sold to Cleveland, Ohio parties at a premium of \$1,600.

Little Annie Gaither, the five-year-old daughter of Richard T. Gaither was burned to death Monday by her clothes catching fire from the grate.

While sitting in an invalid chair before a big wood fire in her home at Berea, Mrs. Garland Kindred's clothing caught fire and she was burned to death.

A large number of cattle belonging to Newton Reese, of Cynthiana, got into his barn for shelter, and ate some tobacco. Twenty of the cattle died from the effects of it.

The Southern Baptist Convention will hold its annual five day's session in Louisville beginning May 12th.

For the first time in a number of years, the Harlan Circuit Court adjourned last week without sentencing any one to the penitentiary.

A dispatch from Campton says the distillers of Wolfe county are very reluctant about distilling, as County Judge Centers refuses to grant license to sell whisky by retail under any conditions.

Dick Johnson, of Ashland, was found dead on the railroad track in a cut near Mt. Sterling early Monday morning. He had been run over by a train, but it is thought that he was killed and placed on the track.

Bob Brown, the murderer from Barren county, who shot his sister-in-law, father-in-law, mother-in-law, and shot several others, was refused a pardon or commutation of his death sentence by Gov. Bradley Monday.

Jackson Cox, who is only 13 years old, was put in the Frankfort penitentiary to serve two years for barn burning in Pike county. He is small for his age, and Warden Lillard had a pair of boy's knee pants made for him.

The publication of the Stanford Interior Journal was stopped when notified by the postmaster of that town that no papers from its office would be received on account of the development of a case of small-pox in its office.

An English syndicate has bought 18,000 acres of land and 40,000 white oak and poplar trees for the sum of \$61,500. The land is situated in Breathitt and Knott counties, and consists of one of the finest timbered tracts in Kentucky.

A new gambling bill has been introduced in the Missouri Legislature, it provides a penalty of not less than two years nor more than five years confinement in the State penitentiary for operating or manipulating any kind of a gambling device in the State. If this bill should pass there would be a wholesale exit from the State.

Great Britain has ordered the construction of 125 battleships. When these vessels are completed that country will have the mightiest navy of any power on the globe.

There is a divinity that shapes our ends, rough-hew them as we will.

## Republican Convention.

The candidates all agreeing, the Executive Committee met at Lexington Saturday and named Richmond as the place of holding a Republican convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Railroad Commissioner in this District. County conventions or primaries will be held in each county Saturday, April 15, to select delegates to meet at Richmond May 2nd.

## Mt. Sterling Court.

About 2,000 cattle on the market. The quality was only fair. Some good yearlings and they sold high. Trade was a little slow and a good many cattle unsold at noon. Oxen were in big demand and sold as high as five cents. There was a good crowd in town with some buyers from Ohio. Kentucky was represented by all surrounding counties. The best 1000-pound steers sold at \$4.60. The best yearling sold at 5 cents by the head; 44 was offered to weigh them and refused. Heifers at 3 1/4 to 4 cts. Cows at 3 to 3 1/4 cts. Bulls at 3 to 3 1/4 cts. Canners at 1 1/2 to 2 cts.—Mt. Sterling Advocate.

## Why He Didn't Swear.

On being asked why he never swore, Gen. Grant is said to have replied, as follows: "Well, somehow or other, I never learned to swear. When a boy I seemed to have an aversion to it, and when I became a man I saw the folly of it. I have always noticed, too that swearing helps to rouse a man's anger; and when a man flies into a passion, his adversary who keeps cool always gets the better of him. In fact, I could never see the use of swearing. I think it is the case with many people who swear excessively, that it is a mere habit, and that they do not mean to be profane; but, to say the least, it is a great waste of time."

Abraham Elmer is 117 years of age, probably the oldest man in the United States. He is a survivor of the war of 1812 and receives no pension. His home is at Utica, N. Y., and he chews a five-cent plug of tobacco daily and has used tobacco for more than 100 years.

A child was born in a South Dakota town which has two tongues, says an exchange. And yet there are people of an optimistic turn who have been predicting that the prospect for orators is fading.

A happy family is but an earlier heaven.



# THE TIMES.

J. E. BURGHIER  
PUBLISHER.

SATURDAY, FEB. 25.

## ADVERTISING RATES.

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Each additional insertion 25  
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Business locals, Obituaries and Special notices 10 cents per line, each additional insertion 5 cents.

## CLUB RATES.

For the convenience of our subscribers we have arranged clubbing rates with the following papers at prices below named:  
The Times and

Louisville Dispatch	\$ 75
" Cincinnati Enquirer	1 15
" Detroit Free-Press	1 00
" Louisville Commercial	75
" Home and Farm	75
" Louisville Daily Post	2 50

The telegraph lines in Chili are owned by the government. A message of ten words can be sent to any part of the country for about eight cents.

The taxpayers are a large majority over the tax-eaters, but Legislators some times overlook this fact because the latter are always about Legislative lobbies while the former are at home at work.

Don't send any more "sticks" to the Legislature. We've had enough such "timber." One of our late Representatives was approached by the editor of this paper and requested to subscribe for his county paper. He refused. Upon being asked if he was taking any papers, here was his reply: "Naw; I hain't tuck none for nigh on ter two years."—Mt. Vernon Signal.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Iron Mound.

T. E. Tipton has bought of James Smith his farm near Iron Mound postoffice. Price \$150.

The cold wave has passed and the indications are in favor of an early spring, so the farmers can get to work soon.

Died, Wednesday, Feb. 8th, 1899, in Clark county, the infant son of Jack and Nannie Jordan, same was buried at the Webb grave yard in this county Friday, Feb. 17.

Mikel (alias Candy) Wills informs us that he had some 3 or 4 head of cattle froze so bad that they were not able to be driven from Clark county to this place, a distance of 14 or 15 miles.

Garfield Merrill cut and wounded Isaac Sams on Woodward's creek, this county Feb. 15th. We have not learned the particulars up till this time.

Dr T. J. Berryman has been confined to his room during the cold weather with la grippe, but we hope he will be able to be out soon as he is greatly needed around the sick beds in this neck of the woods. I. M. D.

### West Irvine.

The soldier boys returned home last Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Park, the marshal of Irvine, has been quite sick but is improving.

The ice has broken up and has done considerable damage on the Kentucky river.

We are having some warmer weather now and we guess it is gladly welcomed by everyone.

Misses Ida and Kate Park returned home last Monday after a long visit to friends and relatives in Madison.

### Vaughn's Mill.

Mr. T. J. Fletcher has moved to Jeffersonville Montgomery county.

Mr. John O. Daniel, who has been sick for quite a while, is no better at this writing.

Mr. G. S. Mize and wife visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. McKinney at Union Hall this week.

Geo. Vaughn, who has been attending school at Lexington, returned home very sick last week.

Miss Betsy Jackson returned home Monday after a long visit to her Uncle, Geo. McKinney of Clark county.

Miss Lucy Clark and Lester Jones visited Miss Mary Belle Bush, of Stanton Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Edith Mize and two daughters, Misses Maud and Katie, have been visiting Mrs. J. W. McKinney at Union Hall the past week.

Mr. Evermount McKinney, of Winchester, died of pneumonia last week and was buried at the old McKinney burying ground on Hardwick's creek.

Willie O. Mize, who enlisted in the Fourth Ky. Regiment July 6th, has been mustered out and is now on Kentucky soil enjoying a good bed to sleep on and something better to eat.

Tuck Bush returned home from the 4th Ky. Regiment with a heavy mustache. We Kentucky people would not near have thought the rations of Camp Ship was rich enough to sprout a mustache.

### King's Station.

S. J. Roger went to Richmond last Thursday on business.

Evert Butler, of Winston, was over to see his best girl here last Sunday.

Wade Aldridge made a flying trip to Irvine on business last Thursday.

Eld. J. T. Turpin supplied Bro. A. G. Coker at Providence last Sunday.

Miss Fannie Lane, of Irvine, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. T. Grinstead last week.

Mrs. Sallie Fain is very low and not expected to recover with hemorrhage of lungs.

Mr. John Todd, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Lyman Riddell, of Horse Fork, this county, was in town yesterday. Come again Pete.

Jesse Turpin is on a fair road to recovery. He has been very sick but can now beg n ot sit up.

Messrs Rice, Virgil Benton and John Hamilton went to Richmond last Saturday on business.

Miss Lona Clouse, of Waco, Madison county, is a guest of Miss Allee and Addie Turpin this week.

Nathan Fain, the genial Post Master of Fainville, was over in town one day last week. Come again Nath.

Miss Mollie Newman, who has been confined to her room for several weeks, is able to get from one room to another.

Miss Fannie Wilson left last Saturday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Lane, at Irvine. She will stay several weeks.

Hon. P. D. White, formerly of this place, but now of Richmond, made a visit of several days last week with relatives here.

Prof. John Thomas is talking of going to Powell's Valley Baptist Church to conduct a singing school. John is a good musician and we wish him success.

Last Thursday night a musical entertainment was given by Miss Addie Turpin in honor of her guest, Miss Lona Clouse. Profs. King, Butler and Stiners furnished the music. A good time and plenty to eat is reported.

At a late hour they adjourned to meet Friday night at Mrs. A. C. Butler's, where they report a splendid time again. We can vouch for Mrs. Butler's hospitality shown to her guests of honor. Sand Cutter.

### FOX.

Sparks and Splinters Picked up for The Times.

Nice raft tide in the river this week.

Mrs. J. H. Edwards has been quite sick for the past three weeks.

Mrs. John Moberly is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Messrs Grant Rainey and Robt. Groves left last week for Brownstown, Ill.

Wm. Pierce "M. D." has moved into the house vacated by John Groves.

Strictly good pigs weighing from 60 to 100 lbs. each are in good demand at 3 cents per lb.

John Bogie will leave in a few days for Indiana where he will engage in the "drug business."

Joe Hackworth, Frank and Charles Gould are attending Prof. Throop's school at College Hill.

If you have an A1 milch cow for sale advertise in the Times and see how quick you can sell her.

Mrs. C. Lackey died the 26th ult. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Howes, of College Hill, assisted by Eld. Jas. Howard.

More cases of la grippe here than was ever known before. Dr. Combs, Winburn, Wilson and Blackwell each have more cases than they can wait on.

Rube Pickett will leave Feb. 1 for the Philippine Island. He expects to join the American Police force there. Here is wishing you a pleasant and profitable journey.

Alex Kerby, of Doylesville, Madison county, will soon move to the house now occupied by Lee Roy Puckett. "Uncle" Lee will go back to his farm 2 miles down the river.

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### ARE YOU A MORMON

I am indebted to two Mormon Elders (or Pair of Jacks as they are called in this neck o' the woods) for a late edition of the Mormon guide and hand book giving a lovely description of their so called religion. It tells how they are annoyed. (With machine oil from a cow's horn.) Also how the Divine Revelation is carried on by a man who receives his revealing power from Divine Headquarters. This revealing business is all a grand force. The only one benefited by it is the man who reveals it so much per revelation. I hope Uncle Sam will sit down upon them and mash the daylights out of their creed. Old Nick.

For Sale—Two male shoats Fine stock. Weight about 15 pounds each. I sold one of them for \$5. Albert McIntosh

WANTED—Tie makers to go to Menifee county and make ties. I have 15,000 acres of timber to work up into ties. Timber has never been culled. I will be ready to go to work by the 25th of this month. J. W. Barnett.

For Sale—One 2-horse wagon. 3 in. spindle with bed and breaks. J. W. Dawson.

### Warning to Hunters.

Notice is hereby given to the public that all hunting and trapping is forbidden on all lands belonging to the undersigned.

D. McKinney.

### Notice to Hunters.

All persons are hereby notified that all hunting and trapping is forbidden on any and all land belonging to the undersigned.

B. S. Burgher.

### Store House, For Rent.

The store building now occupied by J. W. Dawson & Bro. will be rented for the year 1899, possession to be given March 1st. Also a nice, cozy cottage. Best store house in town, and no better place in the county to sell goods. Apply at this office.

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### Local Markets.

Spoutspring, Ky., Feb. 25.  
The following are prices paid by produce dealers of this place:

Apples	3
Beans	1@3
Beef hides	4
Beeswax	18
Corn	40
Ducks	5
Geese	30 c each
Eggs	11
Feathers	30
Hens	4 1/2

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State Commissioner of Agriculture Moore says the peach crop has been destroyed, together with early apples and cherries. Wheat has been injured where the snow has been blown from it.

The conduct of its officers and men has rendered the 4th Ky. Regiment unworthy the respect of all decent people, says an exchange. It has brought disgrace on the good people of Kentucky where other regiments brought honor. Please let us hear no more of it.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

SPOUTSPRING, KY.  
SATURDAY, FEB. 25. 1899.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

C. B. Barnett went to Lexington Tuesday.

See notice of cow for sale elsewhere in this issue.

W. G. Patrick, the hustling Irvine merchant, was in the burg Wednesday.

Miss Esa McKinney is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Patrick, at Irvine.

Eld. S. M. Carrier has moved into the new Methodist parsonage at Clay City.

We went over to Clay City Monday and brought back several new subscribers with us.

W. E. Heflin has bought 40 acres of land joining his other farm in Clark county for \$900.

D. McKinney, W. E. Heflin and Russell Christopher were in Mt. Sterling Monday, Court day.

Thomas J. Fletcher has moved from his former residence on Hardwick's creek to Jeffersonville.

It is reported that an infant child froze to death in its cradle in Fleming county during the recent cold spell.

The young people of the community met at Mrs. Edith McKinney's Monday night and danced till a late hour.

The biggest trust after all, says the Cynthiana Democrat, is the country newspaper. It trusts almost everybody.

We, this week like last, had to leave out several items of interest for lack of space. We wish it was so we could publish a paper double the size of the present Times.

Estill county can boast of one thing, since the bankruptcy law went into effect there is not a single case in its bounds. Can another county in the State say so much?

On Monday of last week, in a saloon at Lexington, W. C. Cornelius shot and seriously wounded J. H. Mailer. Both men were members of Co. C, 4th Kentucky and are said to be from Beattyville.

No, the Times does not do so much bragging about its strong footing and its assured success as some county newspapers, but it manages to get along somehow without filling half of its reading space dunning its subscribers and abusing them.

John W. Mize has rented Asa Todd's place and moved to same this week. Lyman King has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Mize.

The sale of Bud Berryman at Viena Friday was very well attended and everything brought fair prices: horses, \$4.50 to \$35; one cow, \$30; two calves, \$30; hogs about 3 1/2 c per pound.

E. V. Curtis has rented the shop from W. J. Barnett at this place and will in a few days be ready to do your blacksmithing and repairing. Mr. Curtis is a splendid smith and works reasonable.

Mr. Sam Hadden, of Levee, and Miss Lelia Harrison will marry Thursday, March 2nd. Miss Harrison, the bride, to be, is a daughter of James Harrison, Esq., formerly a resident of Vaughn's Mill.

Willie Vaughn, the 14 year old son of James Vaughn, of Merritt, well known in this county, one day last week attempted to ride across the ice when the horse fell throwing the boy off and broke his leg.

During the recent cold snap, eleven persons froze to death in the State, and nine more came to their death by their clothing taking fire and burning while trying to keep warm by getting too close to the open fire.

FOR SALE—I have a red cow 8 years old giving 5 quarts of milk per day that I will sell; also a few barrels of short corn. Apply to David Woosley who will price and give particulars.  
W. G. Patrick.

Jasper Sams, a former member of cavalry troops B. is now with our soldiers in Cuba as a wagoner. His mother, Mrs. Nannie Sams, has received a letter from him stating that he thought he would be home in the spring.

Mail carriers through the country are having quite a tough time of it this winter, the weather being first cold then warm and etc., while the roads are simply awful all the time. The average mail carrier through this section of the country should receive at least double the pay he now receives.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in Chicago.**  
Higgen Bros., the popular South Side druggists, corner 60th-st. and Wentworth-av. say: "We sell a great deal of Chamberlain's Cough remedy, and find that it gives the most satisfactory results, especially among the children for severe colds and croup." For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

We notice in the dispatches that a \$10,000,000 contracts for building the double-track Black Diamond Railway has been let to Col. Albert E. Boone, of Zanesville, Ohio.

That looks like business, and if Mt. Sterling loses this road it will be through her own folly. We need another railroad and the Black Diamond is the one we want.—Mt. Sterling Sentinel Democrat.

### For La Grippe.

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash av., corner Jackson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommend Chamberlain's Cough remedy for la grippe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia. For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

We saw Will O. Mize, a member of the Fourth Kentucky, just mustered out, Monday. He said he was under Lieut. Ethelbert D. Scott, the man who shot Col. Colson, and said he was a very kind and sympathetic officer, and thinks he must have been altogether justifiable in shooting the Col.

For fear some one might think that perhaps the postmaster at this place had something to do in detaining the letter of which we spoke in our last issue, we make the statement that we never once suspected this of our postmaster, and we know that we received this letter the day of its arrival at this office.

The report was circulated at this place a few weeks ago that Andrew J. Daughette, formerly of this place, but now of Texas, was dead. His father-in-law W. J. Christopher has received a letter from him stating that he and his three children were well. This report, like many others, started without any foundation whatever.

**An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.**  
George W. Waitt of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

Sterling, Colo., Feb. 26, '99.  
Editor Times.

DEAR SIR:—Through the kindness of some of your readers, I have received several copies of your very new and interesting paper. Its style, choice of selections and rapid growth would do honor to one with years of experience, much less one who is only a novice in the business. I am glad to see the indications of prosperity in the advertisements of the Dawson Bros. as well as the names of many others which recalls pleasant memories.

I hear from various sources that the present winter has been an exceptionally disagreeable one with you. I would most cordially invite your readers who have become tired of wading through mud from November to April, and who would like to find a more healthful climate, where there are favorable opportunities for men of energy and push, to consider this portion of Colorado as offering special inducements to all such. We have no rain usually from October till March, and during the winter our roads are almost as nice as they are in Kentucky during the summer months. The rainy season here is from March to August. The snow fall in the mountains in winter gives the farmers plenty of water for summer irrigation. Most of the bottom land is sown to alfalfa which usually produces from three to four crops of hay per season. The average annual yield is about five tons per acre. This brings from \$1.75 to \$2.50 per ton in the fall. The uplands are covered with Buffalo grass which is more nutritious for both summer and winter pasture than the famed Ky. Blue grass. As cold a

winter as this has been, many cattle are still on the range and are said to be doing well.

Up to Jan. 22, we had the prettiest winter I ever saw, since then we have had from three to six inches of snow. During this time the thermometers have been registering from zero to 40 degrees below and yet the air is so dry and light that the cold does not effect one as it does in Kentucky when only 5 to 10 degrees below.

This letter has already become too lengthy and I will close.

Respectfully,

Z. W. Pigg.

### DIED.

James P. Cox, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Owenton, died last Wednesday. He was the father of Cashier Cox, of the Clay City National Bank.

### DANGERS OF THE GRIP.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure la grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. W. Dawson & Bro.

### Lexington & Eastern Railway.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective Nov. 27, 1898.

#### EAST BOUND.

STATIONS.	No. 2. Daily ex. Sun.	No. 3. Daily ex. Sun.
	P. M.	A. M.
Lv. Lexington	2 00	7 45
" Montrose	2 15	8 00
" Avon	2 25	8 10
" Wyandotte	2 32	8 17
" Winchester	2 35	8 30
" Fairlie	2 57	8 42
" Indian Fields	3 13	9 00
" Clay City	3 40	9 18
" Stanton	3 41	9 25
" Rosslyn	3 47	9 31
" Filson	3 52	9 38
" Dundee	4 02	9 47
" Natural Bridge	4 16	9 54
" Torrent	4 29	10 08
" Fincastle	4 38	10 22
" Beattyville Junct.	4 48	10 29
" Beattyville	4 50	10 30
" Beattyville	Ar. 5 10	10 50
" St. Helena	4 56	10 39
" Tallega	5 10	10 51
" Athol	5 18	10 59
" Oakdale	5 25	11 08
" Elkatawa	5 42	11 22
" Jackson	5 50	11 30

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" Oakdale	6 49	1 37
" Athol	6 56	1 44
" Tallega	7 04	1 52
" St. Helena	7 18	2 04
" Beattyville Junct.	7 26	2 14
" Beattyville	Ar. 7 50	2 10
" Beattyville	Ar. 7 00	1 50
" Fincastle	7 19	2 21
" Torrent	7 47	2 35
" Natural Bridge	8 03	2 49
" Dundee	8 08	2 58
" Filson	8 19	3 08
" Rosslyn	8 26	3 14
" Stanton	8 38	3 20
" Clay City	8 42	3 30
" Indian Fields	8 59	3 45
" Fairlie	9 18	4 00
" Winchester	9 29	4 12
" Wyandotte	9 43	4 26
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Among the rules of a New York livery stable where the animals of many wealthy men are kept are the following: "No man will be employed who drinks intoxicating liquors. No man shall speak loud to any of the horses or in the stable where they are. Horses of good blood are nervous, loud, excited conversation is felt by every horse who hears it, and keeps nervous and uneasy. No man shall use profane language in the hearing of horses."

## Approaching Crisis.

Thinking men, and even those who have never given much time to serious thought, are waking up to the realization of the fact that we are approaching some sort of a crisis in the world's history.

Up to within a few years ago living wages were paid to laborers, and contentment was the normal condition of working classes, but these conditions have changed and wages are on the downward grade; discontent is manifest everywhere and capital and labor are watching each other with sleepless vigilance. This is the result of a number of causes—the concentration of wealth in the hands of the few; the avaricious, domineering spirit of trusts and combines; the tendency of politicians and demagogues to legislate for the benefit of corporations, go to make up much of the cause of alarm.

Then again science comes forward with discoveries and inventions and results follow. Steam electricity and labor saving machinery are producing great revolutions. In Great Britain alone steam does the work of 156,000,000 men. In the United States steam does the work of 230,000,000 men, representing nearly the population of the globe.

One man and two boys now do the work of 1,100 spinners some years ago.

One man now does the work of fifty weavers in former times.

One man and one machine now makes as many horse shoes in a day as would take 500 men to make in the same time.

One nail machine takes the place of 1,100 men.

In the manufacture of paper 95 per cent of hand labor is supplied by machinery.

One man takes the place of 1,000 in making pottery.

In unloading ships machinery takes the place of 2,000 men.

These are only a few figures, and serious as they are, there is an appalling condition awaiting labor in the future. The only one sure hope—one safe route—and that is in the cultivation of the soil! The farm! the farm! Farmers, hold on to your lands and homes; stick to that which you can do; that which insures you against want and oppression. Don't rush to the cities where competition is grinding and too often crushing. Teach the facts to the children that they may love the soil, love its bounteous yield and be content with its tillage.—Ex.

The milk trust to be capitalized at ten million dollars is assured. Jos. Leiter, the former wheat plunger, is at the head of the syndicate. He no doubt wanted to be able to avoid again being squeezed. So long as water lasts, there is no danger of the milk supply running short.

A Kansas editor was running the motto "We tell the truth" at the head of his paper. The other day, however, he was compelled to encounter several gentlemen who objected to the truth being told, and as a consequence the motto disappeared and the following notice was printed: "Until we recover from the injuries recently received, this paper will lie just like the rest of them."

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## What Statistics Show.

Statistics show that during the year 1898 Judge Lynch tried, sentenced and executed 121 prisoners, says an exchange. Full returns have not yet come in from some parts of the Klondike, but so far as is known the record is as follows: Alaska 5, Arkansas 17, Mississippi 13, South Carolina 15, Indian Territory 3, Illinois 1, Kansas 1, Georgia 9, New Mexico 1, Missouri 7, Alabama 11, Kentucky 5, North Carolina 4, Louisiana 8, Tennessee 6, Texas 3, Virginia 4, Maryland 2, West Virginia 1, Washington 1, Wyoming 3, Oklahoma 1 and Florida 1.

## Kentucky Not Quite so Bad.

Arizona, "where there ain't no ten commandments and a man can raise a thirst," is the wickedest State or Territory in the Union, having 250 prisoners out of 59,620 inhabitants, the ratio being 4,193 to 1,000,000. Nevada comes next with a ratio of 3,322 in every million. And strange to say Massachusetts ranks next with a ratio of 2,335 to every million inhabitants. And poor old Kentucky, that has been so generally praised as the worst State in the Union, ranks away down the list with the good, peaceful, law-abiding people.

## Killed A Snake.

Charles Ballard, colored, of this city brought into the Pantograph office Wednesday afternoon, a snake he had killed in Capt. J. T. Shackelford's front yard. The reptile was crawling on snow which was more than twelve inches deep. It measured nearly three feet in length. —Richmond Pantograph.

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